# WEST SCRANTON

# A SAD STORY OF DROWNING

YOUNG MEREDITH'S FRIENDS PERSUADED HIM TO GO.

His Mother Had a Premonition That Something Had Happened to Him. Funerals Yesterday -- Boy Fell Down an Embankment-General Barre. News Notes and Personals.

The sad intelligence received by Mr. and Mrs. John Meredith, of North Bromley avenue, relative to the drowning of their son, Daniel, at Lake Lodore yesterday, came like a thunder clap to them last evening, when The Tribune correspondent broke the news to them. A message was first telephoned to Jenkins' drug store, and Henry Bruning, who lives next door to the family, took it and with The Tribune man went to the house and acquainted the parents of what had occurred. They could hardly bear up under the strain. A few minutes later Thomas Thomas, of South Hyde Park avenue, came into the house with the young man's clothing. Then came their daughter, Norma, who was at the lake with her brother. The scene was held in \$300 bail. very affecting between her and her

It seems that the boy did not care to go to the excursion, but was perguaded by his companions to accompany them. His mother had a premonition that something had happened to him. Young Meredith was a Tribune carrier, and his sister is one of the contestants in the educational contest. The body had not been recovered last night, and the father and several others will go to Lake Lodore this morning to renew the search. The details of the accident are given in another

### Coming Base Ball Game.

Arrangements are being made for the game of base ball between the All-Collegiate team and the West Side Browns at Athletic park on Saturday, July 27, and the contest promises to be one of unusual interest. It will serve to bring out the strongest amateur club in the city and they will be pitted against some of the best ex-

college stars of the diamond. The Browns will be materially strengthened for the game, and have already begun practicing, while the

## SUNBURN

pain of sunburn in one night. Take bottle with you on your vacation. FOR SALE BY G. W. JENKINS

college boys will get down to practice in a few days. The All-Collegiate lineup will include "Beatty" Williams, David Owens, John Brooks, Arthur Gunster, Al. Blandin, Jimmy Blair, John J. Murphy, Brink Thorne and

## Salvation Army in Need.

The little band of Salvationists who old their nightly meetings at the corner of Main avenue and Jackson street are full of enthusiasm, but lack money to carry on their work and at present Browns and Ex-Collegians Will are in dire need of the necessaries of life. They have been holding special Play Ball May 27—Salvation Army meetings during the past three days, in Need of Funds and Food-Two which have been attended by Ensign and Mrs. Leuth, of Brooklyn, and Adjutant and Mrs. Lyons, of Wilkes-

> This is the appeal that has been made by them for aid: "Let all the friends bring groceries and provisions for the officers quarters, as they are in need of food. Please bring us something to eat. The work of the Army is suffering for want of finance, and we need your help very much."

### Trouble Over a Hose.

George F. Threlfall, of 430 Thirteenth street, had his neighbor, Albert Thomas, arrested last evening on a charge of assault and battery. The case was aired before Alderman John. According to the evidence, the men quarreled over a garden hose.

One was using the water to sprin kle a lawn, while the other wanted to curtail the supply. A quarrel en-sued, blows were struck, and then Mrs. Michael Doud, of prosecution followed. Thomas was

### Fell Down an Embankment.

Frank Hoban, a lad residing on Empet street, was missed from his home Saturday evening, and when a search was made for him, he was found at the foot of an embankment along the tracks of the Central Railroad of New

The boy is subject to fits and while thus overcome, had fallen down the embankment, and when picked up was unconscious. A physician was sum-moned, and the boy was examined. He was somewhat injured by the fall, but will recover.

### Funerals Yesterday.

A high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Patrick's Catholic church yesterday morning over the remains of the late Mrs. Thomas Lavelle, who died at her home, 2014 Jackson street. this evening on the lawn in front of F. The services were largely attended, Interment was made in the Cathedral

The remains of James Joseph, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mullen, of Washburn street, were interred in the Cathedral cemetery yesterday afternoon.

### GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

A rummage sale will be conducted this evening at the home of Miss Lettie Wagstaff on Evnon street. Refreshments will be served after the

George Clarke, of Clarke Bros., is

# The Popularity Of Our Children's **Outfitting Department**

Was not gained by a mere accident or chance. Twentieth Century business successes don't come that way. We are living in an era when merit alone counts, and we know that our recognized leadership as Complete Providers for Infants and Little Children was won by hard work and constant watchfulness.

# There's a Window Full of Dainty Apparel

For the babies in arms and little toddlers of both sexes. It's a representative showing, but far from complete in detail, so that if you are interested it will be to your interest to step inside, that you may get a better idea of our ability to fill the every need of the children who still require the attention of a nurse.

# From the Crown of the Head To the Soles of the Feet

We have everything they can possibly wear, and it's optional on your part whether it costs much or little. You may figure the cost of plain slips by cents, while those lovely creations in Foamy Lace Trimmings are reckoned by dollars.

We can offer you complete sets in short or long outfits, single dresses and skirts, or dresses and skirts to match, booties, stockings, mittens, headgear, silk falls, silk and woolen underwear, in endless variety, and all at Globe Warehouse prices.

SPECIAL WINDOW DISPLAY TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Globe Warehouse

# NORTHSCRANTON

TWO BOYS TOOK CHARGE OF PALMER'S STORE.

on a business trip to New York, Bos-

Mrs. Charles Watkins and granddaughter, Hazel Davis, of Lafayette street, spent Sunday at Factoryville

Edgar Twining, of Mauch Chunk, re-

Mr. and Mrs. Harry May, of Luzerne

Misses Elizabeth, May and Alice

Lee, of North Lincoln avenue, are

making a pleasure trip through Sus-

Mrs. N. W. Howard and sons, of

Mrs. Norman Houser and children

LeRoy Knight, of Sumner avenue,

has returned home from a visit with

Mrs. William Burdick, of Jackson

street, will spend this week with rela-

ives in Stroudsburg.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burrus and chil-

oren are visiting relatives in Wayne

Mrs. N. T. Ace, of Lincoln avenue,

the guest of relatives at Hampton

The friends of Councilman Joseph

The Sunday school of the First

Welsh Baptist church will picule at

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Evans and

lewing the wonders of the Pan-

Mrs. Randolph Jones, of South Main

venue, and daughter, Mrs. Lincoln

Ansley, of Eynon street, are at the

Buren avenue, is entertaining Misses

Anna Gallagher and Mary Barrett, of

A daughter was recently born to Mr.

and Mrs. Jacob Schroeder, of Ninth

The congregation of Holy Cross

burch will go to Lake Lodore on July

St. Brenden's council, Young Men's

Institute, are making arrangements

for their annual excursion to Atlantic

Thomas McCue, of Luzerne street,

and William Keenan, of Ninth street,

are spending a few days at Buffalo.

Another talent social for the benefit

f the Jackson Street Baptist church

conducted by Miss Peoria Jones, at her

ome in Round Woods park. A good

um was realized. The talents will all

St. Patrick's Catholic church will open

J. Johnson's house, on North Rebecca

avenue. The members of the choir will

be in charge, assisted by other mem-

Rev. J. T. Morris, formerly pastor of

the Bellevue Weish Calvinistic Metho-

dist church, will move with his family

this week to Minneapolis, Mina., where

Reese B. Davis, of Bridgeport, Conn.

illness of his mother, who resides in

Miss May Jones, of North Main ave-

friends at Southampton, Long Island,

John Howell, of the firm of Howell &

S. B. Mott and daughter, Marilla, of

South Main avenue, are summering at

Lou H. Jones of Latayette street, is

meeting of the Leek Soc'al club

spending his vacation at Asbury Park.

will be held this evening in Enoch

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Williams and

daughter, Reba, of South Main avenue,

have returned home from Buffalo,

Niagara Falls and the Pan-American

S. B. Powell and family, of Jackson

street, are occupying their cottage at

Miss May Thomas, of Luzerne street,

is entertaining Miss Ethel Tucker, of

Dr. B. C. Fern, of North Sumner

avenue, has returned home from Buf-

Hyde Park lodge, Free and Accepted

lasons, met in Masonic hall last

vening and decided to dispense with

heir meetings during the month of

eld on Monday evening, July 29, for

he purpose of advancing three candi-

John Wagner, jr., of Hampton street,

was arraigned before Alderman Davies

last evening on the charge of selling

ntoxicants on Sunday. The case was

ismissed owing to a lack of evidence.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Tague and chil-

ren, of Jackson street, and Miss Nina

lague, of Luzerne, returned last even-

ing from a short visit at West Nich-

Henry Morse, of Jackson street; Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph A. Mears, A. T. Hels-

er, Reuben Gillingham, John Hughes

and Mrs. John Dean, all of this side.

David James Davis, of 352 North Fil-

nore avenue, severed an artery in his

stitches from Dr. D. J. Jenkins' needle.

Mrs. William Ace and daughter,

Nellie, of South Lincoln avenue, are

th some of his boys friends, was playing near

s home, climbing a fence, when Kempter, who

ng a wound on his leg about three inches long,

. Ritz was summened to close the wound, nich took eight stitches.

The members of Division No. 22, Ancient Or-

The Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association,

Branch No. 226, will meet in monthly seasion this evening at 8 o'clock at Pharmacy hall.

The excursion committee of the William Con-nell Hose company will meet tonight in Melvin's

GREEN RIDGE.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union will hold a jawn social at the h-the of Mrs.

J. A. Harvey, 1622 Penn avenue, Tuesday even-ing, July 16. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Ice cream and cake for sale.

der of Hibernians, will meet in regular session this evening at St. John's hall.

visiting at Hampion Junction.

are sojourning at West Nicholson.

spend several weeks.

dates to the M. M. degree.

A special meeting will be

alo and a trip over the great lakes.

Evans' hotel, on Jackson street.

Harris, cigar dealers, is spending a few

as called here recently by the serious

e returned tomorrow evening. The country pienic for the benefit of

diver, of the Fifteenth ward, are urg-

ing him to become a candidate for the

egislature in the First district.

day Aug park tomorrow.

American exposition.

Lincoln avenue, are summering at Kingsley and Harford, Susquehanna

left yesterday to spend the summer at

street, spent Sunday at Clark's Sum-

turned home yesterday from a visit with Alfred Twining, on Swetland

ton and St. Louis,

quehanna county.

Stroudsburg.

Junction

street.

lity on Aug. 14.

ers of the parish.

they will reside.

ays in New York

Lake Winola

before returning.

Bellevue

relatives at Wallsville.

The Proprietor Was Away at the Time and the Boy's Succeeded in Getting Themselves in Trouble. Funeral of David J. John from His Late Home on Wayne Avenue. Drill of the Father Whitty Society. Jack Boyle Under Arrest-Holder of Successful Ticket Wanted.

Two Jones street boys, Jerry Welsh and Will Lord yesterday started out o conduct O. V. Palmer's grocery business on their own account. Mr. and Mrs. Paimer and their help all went to Lake Lodore on the early morning excursion train in observance of Grocer's Day. Some time after their departure, these youths be-gan to run the store by working a spring lock on a rear door. After entering the store they slaked their thirst at the soda fountain, filled their pockts with sweets out of the candy case and chewing gum, emptied the money drawer and had a real good time imong the good things.

Then their thoughts turned to getting out of the place as secretly as they had entered, but the spring lock laughter, Ethel, of Jackson street, are played a trick on them and they could not solve its mysteries.

For a time they were scared boys, and then they tried the cellar door, which yielded to them and getting into the cellar they pulled up boxes, allowing them to crawl out of a window. Mrs. Michael Doud, of South Van In doing this they made enough noise to attract the attention of the family living in the apartments over the store and the youngsters were caught and and seached, revealing a plethora of such things as would tempt the cupidity of the youths. They were compelled to disgorge and their stealings layed away to be given to Mr. Palmer on his return. Whether or not arrests will be made is yet unknown.

### Funeral of David J. John. The funeral of David J. John, who

died at his home on Wayne avenue last Friday afternoon, was held yesterday from the family residence. The ooms were filled with friends and was held last evening. This one was relatives of the deceased, who mourned the loss of a true friend.

Rev. R. S. Jones, D. D., of the Welsh Congregational church, officiated. quartette from the church had charge f the singing. The remains reposed in a handsome casket in the front parlor and was surrounded by many beautiful floral emblems sent as tokens of the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Interment was made in Washburn street cemetery.

## TOLD IN A FEW LINES.

Members of the Father Whitty soci ty met last evening at St. Mary's hall at 7 o'clock. After forming themselves into line, they marched down the avenue to Von Storch's field, where they spent two hours in military tactics. The exercises were under the direction ue, left yesterday for a visit with of Joseph H. Duggan.

The employes and proprietors nearly all the stores in this section went to Lake Lodore yesterday for a day's outing. John Boyle, of Parker street, was ar-

rested Sunday for having stolen four lanterns, which were placed at various of Blakely street for several weeks, ocations as danger signals On Thursday of this week the two missionary societies of the Providence Presbyterian church, with their friends, will go to Harvey's lake for their an-

Samuel Davis, of North Main avenue is seriously ill with neuralgia. Thomas Ruane, of the High Works

left Saturday night for Buffalo. Thomas Cowell, of Summit avenue spent Sunday with friends in West

At the recent drawing for the gold watch, held for the benefit of John Tranter, at St. Mary's hall, ticket No. 814 was the successful number. person holding a ticket with that number will please present it to the com-Mrs. Rosina Price, of Lafayette street, is making a tour of New York mittee, George B. Davis, James B. Davis. Martin Cavanaugh and William state and will visit the Pan-American

# DUNMORE DOINGS.

Two Fires, but Fortunately the Damage Was Slight-List of Advertised Letters.

Yesterday was, comparatively speaking, a busy day for the local firemen, two alarms being sent in during the day, but fortunately the damage done in both instances was trifling.

About 5.30 a. m. The Tribune carrier, Fred Webber, discovered flames coming from the barn, on Harper street, owned by the J. D. Boyer estate. He gave the alarm, and the Neptune and Independent companies succeeded in confining the flames to a very limited area. The damage done will not amount to over ten dollars.

About 7 o'clock last night the companies were again called out by a fire wrist yesterday, which required several in the hotel of M. J. O'Boyle, at Apple and Drinker streets. In some manne Thomas Baldwin, of Fourteenth the lace curtains became ignited and at street, leaves for New York today on once there was a lively fire in progress his way to England, where he will but it was speedily extinguished without much damage resulting. The gong failed to blow at both fires, but luckily the indicators at the hose houses are all in working order.

### The quarterly conference of the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church Advertised Letters. will be held Saturday evening. Letters remaining unclaimed during

the period ending July 13, 1901. Per-SOUTH SCRANTON NOTES. sons calling for these letters please say advertised: Victor, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. George Burke, Green Ridge formad Kempter, of Maple street, met with a minutal accident yesterday near his home. Victor

street and Jefferson avenue; G. Dietrick, James Gallagher, 517 Chestnut street; James Haggerty, Grove street; Mrs. H. Kohl, Madison avenue and Delaware street; M. J. Lynott. 107 cas on top, received a push which sent him oward the ground. He fell on top of a pile of coding slates which were laying there, receiv-Madison avenue (2); Jam. Morris, Mary McGeam, E. Marcle, Mrs. Mary McCarthy, East Drinker street; Mrs. Miss Catherina Moore, of Pottsville, is the James Murphy, 920 Webster avenue; guest of Miss Agnes Brennan, of Cedar avenue. Michael J. Davitt, of Plains, is the guest of Mrs. Mary Patch, 161 Monroe avenue; Bert Smith, P. J. Timlin, James White, atrick Flaherty, on Pittston avenue, Council No. 822, Junior Order United American Icchanics, will meet at Schimpfi's hall tonight. Antonio Montaris, Miss L. M. Hiller 123 Electric avenue, 1 package fourth

### THE NEWS IN BRIEF. The lawn social under the auspices

# A SENSIBLE MAN

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitia, Croup and all Throat and Lung Toubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a Sample Bottle Free to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Price 25c. and 50, is out of danger,

# JONAS LONG'S SONS.

THE BIG STORE.

SCRANTON, PA.



In complete assortment, all grades and sizes, at prices ranging from

The Pan-American line of Trunks includes everything that can be made for the comfort and convenience of travelers. There is what is called Dresser, The Skirt Trunk, The French Compartment Steamer, in fact, everything to please the eye and suit the purse.



# Suit Cases

In all styles and sizes, some as high as \$10.00, others as low as \$1.50. Of course, it's only cloth covered,

but you'll be surprised at the service it will give.

Something more durable is a leather case at

Are handy for various purposes; depends on the size. You'll find them here in all styles, all sizes and all leathers. We'll tell you about one today that's made well, looks well and wears well; in 11 in., 12 in., 13 in., 14 in., 15 in., 16 in.; 79c., 89c., 98c., \$1.15, \$1.25 and \$1.35.

Groceries

Are in demand every initiale of the day. The constant demand finds us always ready with the right goods at right prices. Today's list is interesting: Are in demand every minute of the day. The con-

Rice-Good Carolina Rice, 6 lbs	25C
Starch-Large Lump, 5 lb. pkg	23C
Prunes—Fancy Santa Clara, 5 lbs	25C
Sardines—Domestic, in oil, 6 cans	25¢
dings, 10 for	IOC
Chocolate—Premium	16c
Root Beer—Hires, per bottle, Grape Juice—A fine Summer drink, per bot-	
tle10, 25 and	45C
Parassine-Pure, for covering Jelly cake	16c
Mustard-Prepared, large milk bottle	TOC
Corn Starch-Pure, per package	

Soap-Fairbanks, Ark brand, 10 oz size	
wrapper, 10 bars	
Cottolene-Per pail	23
Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit	11
Ginger Snaps—Per pound	6
Tea-Fancy Oolong, per lb	35
Coffee-Gradarilla brand, extra fancy	35
Catsup—1 gallon jugs	69
Olives-Picnic size or stuffed, per bottle	10
Pickles-Mrs. Jayne's, sweet or sour, per	
bottle 15c, 25c,	30
Health Food-Raiston	10

# Jonas Long's Sons

of E. E. Altemose, on Brook street las night was largely attended. The lawn was prettily decorated for the occasion with numerous Japanese lanterns, A programme of vocal and instrumental elections was rendered which pleased all present. The selections by Miss Sallie Price were especially pleasing to her numerous friends in town who were glad to welcome her back among them after a long absence. Reese, of West Scrunton, addressed those present, dwelling largely with

the work and scope of the league. Miss Laura Buckalew, who has been the guest of Mrs. M. W. Chamberlin, leaves for White Haven this morning Fire Chief Teevan spent yesterday

at Lake Lodore. John and Thomas Payton are at Fall River, Mass., where they were called by the death of their brother. Mrs. Albert Mowery and son, Ira, are

# risiting friends in South Canaan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Miller have returned home om the Pan-American and various other points Harry Stepliens is home from school. He has een attending a school of dentistry at Washington, D. C. Robert Vall has returned home after serving we years with the volunteer army in the Philip-Mrs. Harry Stansbury is visiting friends in

PARK PLACE.

Tunkhannock,
Miss Derothy Sickler, of Peckville, spent Sunday with Miss Grace Sickler, of Providence road.

# OBITUARY.

PATRICK LANGAN, aged 65 years, dled yesterday morning at 5 o'clock at his residence at 640 Birch street, after a two weeks' illness with dropsy. Deceased was an old resident of South Scranton. He came to this country about thirty-eight years ago from Ireland and lived in this city since then. He is survived by a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Andrew Foley. funeral will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, with services at St. Peter's Cathedral. Interment will be made in the Cathedral cemetery.

PATRICK BARRETT, aged 61 years died at Hillside Home yesterday. He was admitted May 10, 1800. Nothing is known of his relatives.

### DEATHS IN PHILIPPINES. General Chaffee on a Trip to the North.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Mantia, July 15.-Lieutenant Charles R. Ramsay, of the Twenty-first infantry, who was wounded in the engagement near Lipa, Province of Batangas, early last month, is dead. The death is also announced of Solon F. Massey, formerly a lieutenant of as tillery, who was recently appointed purchasing agent of the insular gov

ernment. General Chaffee is visiting various oints on the railroad to the north. The United States army transport Sumner, with convalescent soldiers on poard, has sailed for San Francisco.

### WRECK OF STEAMER TANIS. Disaster to a German Vessel-Pro-

ceeding to Montevideo. Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press

Hamburg, July 15,-Captain May, of the German steamer Tanis, from Hamburg June 21, for Montevideo, cables that his vessel ran ashore at Punta Mogotes and is a total loss. Her passengers and crew are proceeding from Montevideo.

# GEN. WOOD OUT OF DANGER.

Despatch Received in Washington Reports Him Recovering.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, July 15.-A dispatch received by Acting Adjutant General Ward announces that General Wood, who has been quite seriously ill,

## AN AUTOMOBILE IN FLAMES. Exciting End of a Boston Physician's

Quiet Ride. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Boston, July 15 .- On Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, yesterday, a cloud of flame seemed to shoot out of the ground and hold its form and color for ome moments. It was practically all that was left of an automobile in which Dr. Samuel Breck, 362 Commonwealth avenue, left his home a few hours before accompanied by his coachman, Joseph Ducey. Dr. Breck escaped with slight burns on the hands and a singed beard. Ducey was severely burned on the face and The carriage was of buggy pattern and valued at about \$1,200. Dr. Breck says:

"We were riding along quietly and by hissing. I had frequently heard the month. For fifty miles around, all the realized that something was wrong, were destroyed by showers of ashes quickly jumped out and endeavored to and stones and streams of lava and turn off the gasolene. I smelt gaso- hot mud. Seven hundred natives and ene very strongly and jumped out. 1 a number of Europeans perished. had no sooner landed than the wagon was enveloped in flames. It was impossible to shut off the gasoline.

"Upon examining the ruins later, I By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. found that the two ends of the gasolene pipes were imperfectly put together and a stream of gasolene was being forced out of a quarter inch boo, July 14, taking thirty-one prisonpipe by a sixty pound pressure. If I ers and capturing a quantity of ammuhad remained in the carriage a few nition and stores. Scheeper, with the seconds longer I would have been bulk of his commando, escaped. burned alive."

# MABEL STRONG DEAD.

Ended Her Career in St. Luke's Hos-

pital. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. New York, July 15.-Mabel Strong, of Cleve-land, O., who came to this city with Charles

Wildrick, who was arrested for fraud and sent to the penitentiary for six months, died in St. Luke's hospital yesterday, Misa Strong was the daughter of a wealthy Cleveland man. She lived with Wildrick at a

sofel in this city until he was arrested for debill. Her father came to this city and tried to get her to go home with him, how she refused and vas taken to St. Luke's hospital.

### CAPTAIN GRIFFIN CENSURED. Not Held Criminally, However, for

Northfield Disaster. Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press

New York, July 15.-The jury in the inquest to the Northfield-Mauch Chunk ferryboat disas in this harbor, in which several lives were, returned a verdict today exonerating Capain Johnson, of the Northfield, and ce Captain Sylvester C. Griffin, of the Mauch Chunk, Captain Griffin is not held to have been crimially negligent, however, The fury aptain Johnson and the Northfield had the right f war and recommends that legislation be enactof tixing rules for the government of ferry-

### PORTO RICAN POSTAL THEFT. Assistant at Mameyes Arrested for Stealing Letters.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, July 15 .- A cablegram received at the postoffice department today from San Juan announces the arrest on July 10 of Ricardo Navarez Rivera, assistant postmaster at Mamoyez, Porto Rico, for stealing letters containing valuables enclosures.

### Sheldon Axle Works Closed. By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Wilkes Barre, July 15 .- The Sheldon Axle works, employing 1.200 men, posted notices tonight that work would be suspended until further notice. The firemen in the employ of the company had made a demand for an eight-hour day and were expected to go on strike tomorrow.

# Shamrock II Wins the Race.

Rothesay, Firth of Clade, July 15,-In a trial rock II. America's cup challenger, and the Sham-rock I. challenger for the cup in 1809, the former won over a thirty-six mile course by one minute and forty seconds.

# Waitress Stabbed to Death.

New York, July 15.—Ratic MacVeagh, a wait-ress, was stabled to death today by Mary Jen-nings, also a waitress. The stabling was the result of a trivial quarrel.

## DOWNPOUR IN CAROLINA.

Thirty - six Hours Rain - Severe Storm in Elberton, Georgia.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Rateigh, N. C., July 15 .- The downpour of rain Friday night, Saturday and Saturday night was disastrous to farms and railways yesterday. The streams are flooded. All farm work is at an end for the time.

Elberton, Ga., July 15.-Four inches of rain fell here yesterday. Many trees and outhouses were blown down and crops beaten to the ground. Lightning injured the steeple of the Methodist church and struck several barns.

# 700 WERE KILLED IN JAVA.

By Exclusive Wire From The Associated Press. Tacoma, Wash., July 15 .- Details have come from northern Java of the slowly when we heard a pop, followed equition of the volcano Kloet last same thing before. Ducey, however, coffee plantations and other estates

# SCHEEPER'S LAAGER CAPTURED

Graaf-Reinet, Cape Colony, July 15. -Col. Scobell's column surprised and captured Scheeper's laager at Camde-

### Most of the prisoners are rebels, STRICT RULES OF RUSSIA.

There were no British casualties.

Some Facts About the Personality of the Czar.

The czar has just celebrated his 31st birthday. He is probably the most powerful man of his age that the world nas known in our time. To be ruler of 130,000,000 of the human race at 26 is an experience which has come to only one living man-which has come, perhaps, to only one man since the world began. At that age Nicholas II became emperor of Russia. Of the 1,500,000,000 people on the face of the earth one in twelve bowed down to this young man, at whose bidding 2,500,000 men would rise in arms. Those who know the czar assert that he is the most lovable of men, sensitive to a high degree, living a quiet family life, with a passionate love of home and children, yet weighed down with the cares of empire. He longs to be known, say his friends, as "Nicholas the Educator." He is an insoluble paradox, whose act one day seems quita inconsistent with his act another day, But the truth is said to be that the young emperor is overwhelmed by the appalling responsibility that rests upon him, and that half the acts committed in his name are not his acts at all. The czar," said one who knows him, knows less about Russia than many a foreigner." At the beginning of his reign Nicholas put himself on the side f common sense in the army by setting the officers an example which they are not likely to forget. A young lieutenant had offended his colleagues by riding in a tram down to the barracks. "Gentlemen," said the emperor, "I fear that to ride in a tram considered beneath the dignity of in officer in your regiment. I am your olonel and I have just been riding in tram. Do you wish me to send it my papers?" This little speech settled the matter and the regiment has lost

its snobbishness since then. Nicholas II. holds a colonelcy in the British army. An interesting story is told in connection with his appoint-The head of the war office was present when Queen Victoria suggested that the czar should be made a British colonel, and it is said that he spent ome time in trying to persuade the queen that such a course was impossible, inasmuch as every other crowned head in Europe would expect the same honor. Queen Victoria listened pas tiently, and then said quietly: "It may he impossible, but it will have to be done all the same."